



Item: Construction Contract Award: Skyline Heights Storm Drain Improvements O.F. 1282.1

From: Engineering Division

Initiated By: Public Works Department

Presented By: Jim Rearden, Public Works Director

Action Requested: Award Construction Contract

Suggested Motion:

1. Commissioner moves:

“I move that the City Commission award a contract in the amount of \$131,831.00 to Shumaker Trucking and Excavating Contractors Inc. for the Skyline Heights Storm Drain Improvements, O.F. 1282.1 and authorize the City Manager to execute the agreements.”

2. Mayor calls for a second, discussion, inquiries from the public, and calls for the vote.

Staff Recommendation: Approve construction contract award.

Background:

Significant Impacts

Several homes in the neighborhood that were constructed at elevations lower than the street, have experienced some minor localized flooding during intense storms. It was found that the flooding was occurring because storm water was topping the curb in a couple locations due to the steepness of the street grades and the location of sidewalk handicap ramps.

Citizen Participation

The neighborhood council was notified and given information to be further disseminated to local citizens.

Workload Impacts

Shumaker Trucking and Excavating Contractors Inc. have indicated they have the available resources to meet the project timetable. City engineering staff designed the project, prepared the contract plans, specifications and estimates for this project and will perform construction inspection and contract administration duties.

Purpose

The purpose of this project is to alleviate localized flooding.

Project Work Scope

This project will provide storm drain extensions that will construct approximately 800 lineal feet of 12-inch PVC and 15-inch and 18-inch re-enforced concrete pipe along with several drain inlets, manholes and valley gutters.

The storm drain work is located on 34th Avenue North East at the intersections of 10th Street North East and 11th Street North East.

Evaluation and Selection Process

Six bids were received and opened for this project on August 20, 2008. The bids ranged from \$131,831 to \$191,091. The attached bid tabulation summarizes bids that were received. Shumaker Trucking and Excavating Contractors Inc. submitted the low bid. The Engineer's Estimate is \$155,455.

Conclusion

City staff recommends awarding the construction contract to Shumaker Trucking and Excavating Contractors, Inc. in the amount of \$131,831.00.

Concurrences: Not Applicable

Fiscal Impact:

Extending the storm drain will alleviate the localized flooding and improve overall on-street drainage. Funds are available from the storm drain utility to cover the cost of the improvements.

The attached bid tabulation summarizes bids that were received.

Alternatives: Not Applicable

Attachments/Exhibits:

1. Bid tabulation is attached.

